



Barrington Fire & Rescue

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MEMO

To: Select board members

From: Chief Rick Walker

Re: Space needs study

Date: April 20, 2022

Recently Deputy Chief Brooks made a presentation to the select board about future space needs for the Police & Fire Departments. Several options were discussed, including the need to do a feasibility study to determine how this project might look staying on site.

I fully support fire & police staying together if possible, we have enjoyed a positive relationship over the past 22 years, and I would hate to see us go backward. While the space needs of the police are immediate, the fire department will experience them in a few years. I envision a bigger training area for both fire & police, added office space, more bunkrooms, and a bigger kitchen area to be shared by both departments.

For the above stated reasons and a few more, I fully support a feasibility study as the next phase of this project.

Respectfully,

Rick Walker, Fire Chief